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I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 24, 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger	1:56 p m
Freight and Accommodation	7:00 a m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger	11.15 a m
Freight and Accommodation	5.00 p m

B. C. MOORE,
Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.

C. V. LEWIS,
Gen'l Freight and Ticket Ag't, Toledo.

GEO. E. LARY,
Agent, Decatur.

THE GREAT EAST & WEST FAST LINE!

The public are respectfully reminded that the Toledo, Wabash & Western Railway is the only line running Fast Trains through to New York, Boston and other Eastern Cities, and St. Louis, Quincy and other Western Cities enabling travelers to reach their destination from six to seven hours in advance of all other lines.

☞ *Close Connection is also made at Danville and Lafayette Junctions for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville.*

Pullman Sleeping Cars are run between St. Louis and Cleveland, and Quincy and Toledo, without change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express	2 40 a. m
" 3 Fast Express	12 00 m.
" 5 Kansas City Express	7 25 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express	11 20 p. m
" 4 Atlantic	1 50 p. m
" 6 New York Fast Line	6 03 a. m

☞ The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going east	9:15 a. m	7:45 p. m
Going west	2:45 p. m	9.00 p. m

PEORIA DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 71 Express	7 30 a. m
" 73 Mail	2 00 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 72 Express	11 10 p. m
" 74 Mail	12 35 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 41 Through Express	2 45 a. m
" 43 Fast Express	12 05 p. m
" 45 Accommodation	5 45 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 42 Lightning Express	11 15 p. m
" 44 Atlantic	1 25 p. m
" 46 Accommodation	9 20 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Passr Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE I. B. & W. ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur			2 00 p m
At Monticello			4 10 "
" Champaign			5 30 "
" Chicago			7 30 a m
Lv Champaign	6 15 a m	11 00 a m	11 55 p m
At Danville	8 35 a m	12 25 p m	1 56 a m
T., W. & W. R. R.			
Lv Decatur	6 05 a m		11 30 p m
" Toledo	7 21 a m		12 42 a m
At Danville	8 30 a m		1 58 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	8 10 a m	12 42 p m	2 05 a m
At Indianapolis	12 40 p m	4 10 p m	6 15 a m
" Cincinnati	6 00 p m	9 27 p m	12 15 p m
" Dayton		10 25 p m	2 45 p m
" Columbus		11 30 p m	5 55 p m
" Zanesville		2 32 a m	
" Wheeling		6 35 a m	
" Washington	5 00 p m	8 17 p m	5 00 p m
" Baltimore	6 00 p m	9 35 p m	6 16 p m
" Pittsburg		6 45 a m	2 00 a m
" Harrisburg		2 55 p m	11 35 a m
" Philadelphia	10 45 p m	6 20 p m	3 35 p m
" New York		9 15 p m	6 45 p m
" Crestline		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	
" Boston		10 00 a m	
" Louisville		11 40 p m	12 45 p m
" Nashville		7 20 a m	

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No. 2 from Champaign and Danville to Indianapolis.

Through Coaches run on No. 2 to Cincinnati via Hamilton.

Parlor Cars, with State Rooms and luxurious Reclining Chairs, run on No. 6 from Champaign and Danville to Cincinnati, via Hamilton.

CHAS. C. SMITH, Gen'l Manager.
JNO. W. BROWN, Gen'l Pass. & Tkt Agt.
Indianapolis Ind.

For through tickets and further information, address

M. MORRISON, Agent,
Decatur, Ill.

Illinois Central R. R

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	4 35 A M Sundays excepted
Stock Express	11 00 A M " "
Freight	3 25 P M " "
" Accom	5 20 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger	5 20 P M Sundays excepted
Accommodation	11 00 A M " "
Freight	7 00 A M " "
Freight	3 10 P M " "

☞ The 3:25 train going north does not carry passengers.

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
J. C. CLARK, Gen'l Manager, "
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Gen. F't Ag't, "
C. C. JUDSON, Agent.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

For Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

DEPART.

Atlantic Express	10:00 a m
N. Y. Fast Line	5:30 p m
No. 6	9:00 a m

For Peoria.

DEPART.

Accommodation	3:00 p m
Accommodation	11:10 a m

☞ Train No. 6 arrives from the east at 9:00 p. m., and lays over here until the next morning at six o'clock, when it leaves for Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

C. T. FOLLETT, Gen. Ticket Ag't.
H. W. HIBBARD, Gen. Freight Ag't.
D. HINHCOCK, Gen. Sup't.
TERRE HAUTE, - - - INDIANA

C. H. BROWN, Local Ft & Tkt Ag't.
Feb. 9, 1875. Decatur, Ills.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7:30 P. M. Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Money Order and Registering office open from 7:00 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R. R.	9:45	A. M.
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.	11:20	A. M.
" Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R.	11:20	A. M.
" East and Chicago, on T. W. & W.,	1:00	P. M.
" East, on Ind. & Ill. Cent.	1:00	P. M.
" Pekin & Peoria, on T. W. & W.,	1:00	P. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.	1:00	P. M.
" South, on Ill. Cent.	4:45	"
" Chicago, St. Louis & Lafayette,	7:00	"
" North & East of Lafayette	7:00	"
" Sullivan and Mattoon	7:00	"

MAILS ARRIVE

From South, St. Louis and East	5:30	A. M.
" Sullivan and Mattoon	5:30	"
" Chicago, Cincinnati and Lafayette	7:30	"
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.	11:30	"
" Peoria, via I. M. R. R.	11:30	"
" East, on T. & I. C.	12:00	M.
" East & Pekin, on T. W. & W.,	12:00	P. M.
" Terre Haute, on I. M. R. R.,	12:00	"
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.	1:45	"
" North, on Illinois Central	5:30	"

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

THE DEVIL'S TAIL.—The Danville (Ky.) *Advocate*, revises a story which we remember to have heard some years ago, apropos of the departure of Bishop Kavanaugh, of the Methodist church, on a mission to California. The story is to the effect that the Bishop, who was in early life a practical printer, was once asked by a lady friend: "Bishop, is it true that you were once a printer?" "Yes, madam," he promptly replied, with a twinkle in his eye, "I have pulled the devil's tail many a day until my hands were blistered!" The good lady was somewhat startled at the remark, but was entirely relieved when the Bishop explained that the "devil's tail" was only the bar handle of an old Washington hand-press that he had 'pulled' during the days of his apprenticeship in a country office.

A QUARTER of a mile down the road, leading to the beach, from the village of Westhampton, L. I., is the country seat of General Dix, a large, light-brown building, with gables facing every point of the compass. The General is in excellent health, and full of praise relative to the air of Westhampton beach. There is no plastering in the rooms of General Dix's house; the walls are of ash, in narrow strips, and the floors are all double. The parlors are plain; but pretty and cool, with no carpets. In the mantel of the front parlor is set a unique tile, illustrating, in colors, Æsop's fables of the wolf and lamb. This was saved from the ruins of the General's father's house in New Hampshire. On the piazza are a couple of quaint Dutch chairs which Mrs. Dix brought from Holland. These chairs have boat-like tops. The General owns a beach of one thousand feet in length, and is very fond of snipe shooting.

AN object lesson for children: There are two persons on the lawn. It is pa and ma. They are playing croquet. She is ahead of him. See how she smiles. There, he has passed her. She does not smile now. She only hammers the ground. How he keeps going through the arches. It is not her turn yet. But how hard she hits her ball. Did you hear some glass jingle? It was the cellar window. There is her mallet, too. It is going toward the man. See how he dodges it. It has landed over the fence. The woman has got through. She is going into the house. How furiously she twitches along. Now the man is left alone. He is playing croquet all by himself.

THE New York *Sun* asserted the other day that children born out of the United States are not American citizens. That is a mistake. The question was doubtful before 1855, but in that year, at the instigation of Attorney General Cushing, Congress passed a brief act, by which the children born abroad of parents who are citizens shall also be considered as natural born citizens of the United States, but such citizenship shall not descend to children whose parents never resided in this country. This limits citizenship by birth and inheritance, when the birth occurs in a foreign country, to the first generation.

A CORRESPONDENT of the *Scientific American* writes as follows: "Those who are fond of investigations with the microscope will find a beautiful object in the head of a parlor match. Strike the match and blow it out as soon as the head has fused sufficiently to cause protuberances to form on it. On the part of the head which took fire first will be found a white, spongy formation, which, under the microscope and with a bright light upon it, has the appearance of diamonds, crystals, snow, frost, ice, silver, and jet, no two matches giving the same combination or arrangement."

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

EXECUTOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Henry Price, late of the county of Macon, State of Illinois, deceased, will, on the

Seventh day of September, A. D. 1875,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west door of the court-house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, in pursuance of the power and authority contained in the said last will and testament of Henry Price, deceased, offer at public sale to the highest bidder the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of section thirteen, in township fifteen north, range two east of the third principal meridian; the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the east half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-one, in township sixteen north, range three east of the third principal meridian.

The said tract in section thirteen is first-class improved farming land. The crop now growing thereon will be reserved from said sale, with the privilege of harvesting and removing the same. The remainder of said land is covered with timber.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash and the balance in equal installments, payable in one and two years from day of sale, deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent. per annum, payable annually, and be secured with notes and mortgage upon the premises sold, and approved personal security.

THOMAS M. PRICE,
Executor of Henry Price, deceased.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Thursday Evening, Sept. 9.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of the several townships of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a county convention, to be held at the Court House, in Decatur, on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 18th,

at the hour of 10 a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for County Treasurer and Surveyor, to be voted for at the ensuing November election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for President in 1872, and each township of the county and voting district in Decatur will be entitled to one delegate for each fifty votes cast for Gen. Grant in 1872, and one delegate for each fraction of twenty-five votes. Under this basis the several townships and voting districts will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

Decatur—First district, 8; 2nd district, 5, 3rd district, 4; 4th district, 8.

Milam, 1; Hilini, 2; Harristown, 1; Long Creek, 2; Maroa, 4; Blue Mound, 2, Friends Creek, 3; Mt. Zion, 2; Austin, 1; Macon, 4; Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland 2; Hickory, 2; Oakley, 2; Whitmore, 3; Niantic, 2

By order of the County Central Committee.

R. P. LYTLE, Chairman.

J. M. CLOKEY, Sec'y.

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 2, 1875.

"UNITED WE STAND."

The opposition in Wisconsin, although in a majority, are in a quarrel as to who shall be their candidates, and are likely to throw away their power in bickerings and strife. Let the opposition elsewhere take warning, and sink office-seeking in the general good—in the efforts for reform. The Republicans are working hard to distract the opposition, this is their plan of battle. Their efforts to this end are being put forth in Macon county. Their plant tools, under false colors, claiming to be independents, are working either to divide our forces, or to nominate weak men

In this way only do they hope for success. They know that incompetent men can easily be flattered into being ambitious for political honors, and their friends will stand by them, not from real choice, but because of friendship, and hence they are getting professed independents, who will, however, vote the republican ticket at all events, to try to induce a variety of candidates to come out.

We trust our reform convention which meets next Saturday, will realize this work of the old party to thwart reform, *and will gather in solid force, for good,* competent, honest men, and be a unit, and then we can elect them without fail.

Decatur Tribune.

We were well aware that there was trouble in the camp of the honesty party, but did not expect to see such a public acknowledgment of the fact, nor such an insulting fling at those members of the party who formerly acted with the Republicans. However, the democratic organ need not be troubled in spirit, for the *pure* and *honest* ring of Decatur "farmers," which controls the highly moral reform party of Macon county, has the pins already set up. It has decreed not only who shall be delegates to the county convention, but has decided in its own immaculate wisdom whom the convention *may* nominate. Hurrah for "the movement" that was to take the control of county politics out of the hands of "the Decatur pups!" Hail to the party that was to tear in pieces every semblance of a ring, and inaugurate the reign of purity and honesty! Hurrah for the candidate whom the ring has set up! Draw off all your little roadside and school-house candidates; adjourn all your club meetings, for the Decatur ring has taken all the trouble of nominating a ticket out of the hands of the *working* farmers, and fixed up the matter among the kid gloved agriculturists.

GOLD IN TERRE HAUTE.

The Terre Haute *Gazette* of the 6th says Mr. E. Hale, who lives on Seventeenth street, is a fortunate man Yesterday, in drawing up a bucket of water from the well on his property, he brought up a quantity of sediment, which, on close examination, was discovered to contain several glittering particles of some mineral which very much resembled gold. Of course Mr. Hale was much excited about the matter. He took the specimens to Dr. Swafford, who, after a close inspection, pronounced them gold He also took the dust to the First National Bank, where three gentlemen connected with that institution examined it and pronounced their firm belief that it was gold. To-day the specimens will be sent to Prof. Cox, State geologist, for assay, and should his verdict be as favorable as that of others who have inquired into the matter, Mr Hale will at once begin working the mine which he has been so fortunate as to discover on his property. The well passes through a vein of iron ore, and has been in use for two years. There is great excitement in the neighborhood, and should the metal turn out to be pure gold we shall expect to see the whole city turned upside down in a mad search for gold.

IDA LEWIS has been married and is divorced, the Rochester *Democrat* says, adding: We are not informed as to which of the two was the most to blame, but it is a melancholy fact that women whose great purpose is to serve the public can never satisfactorily take care of one particular man. Perhaps this is not her fault; but the fact stands for all that.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

POLITICAL.

Meeting of N. Y. Republican Convention at Saratoga.

PENN. DEMOCRATS MEET IN CONVENTION AT ERIE.

At Milwaukee the Wisconsin Democratic Reformers Meet.

THE MARYLAND REPUBLICANS MEET AND ADJOURN TO SEPT. 22.

Jeff Davis as an Inflationist.

SUICIDE AT NIAGARA.

SARATOGA, Sept. 8.—Nearly fifteen hundred people are attending the Republican State Convention here to-day. Hon. E. D. Morgan delivered the opening address He said that the Democratic party having been successful in some of the recent State elections, believed that it was about to become invested with the political power of the nation. A greater error is scarcely conceivable. He who controls the destinies of nations had kindly permitted Democratic friends a far off view of the promised land, but years of probation and reformation were necessary before they could enter.

Hon. Alonzo B. Cornell was then chosen temporary chairman, and delivered an address, in the course of which he said. "Last year the Democratic party *blundered into electing an honest* Governor; and, while I would not in the least detract from the good work in which the Executive is so zealously engaged, I denounce as false and hypocritical the pretensions of the Democratic party. The Republican party, through its Attorney General, inaugurated the war against the canal ring, and a Republican legislature proposed the constitutional amendments which were for reformatory purposes."

Committees were then appointed and recess taken.

On reassembling G W. Curtis was appointed permanent chairman The platform declares that the Republican party should keep control of the country in consideration of the gurantees which its record affords; a just, generous and forbearing policy is demanded for the Southern States, the military power should be used only for purposes clearly defined in the constitution; it demands honesty, economy and efficiency in every branch of the government; a prompt investigation of charges and punishment of wrong doers; commends all officers who attempt a correction of abuses, and pledges them support, further inflation of the currency, under any pretense, would be a public calamity; all interests demand the speediest possible return to specie payments.

The whole subject of taxation should be carefully and wisely reviewed, to the end that its burdens bear equally on all; declares opposition to a third term, while approving President Grant's services in the presidential chair; opposes all sectarian appropriations for schools, and denounces as a crime against republican institutions any division or perversion of the State school fund, the national administration deserves the gratitude of the American people, and adds lustre to the services in war of the distinguished soldier who stands at its head, for steadfast principle, its opposition to unsound financial projects, for its wise commercial and foreign policy, for correcting abuses and punishing offenders, and for enforcing retrenchment without boasting or ostentation.

The following ticket was nominated For Secretary of State, Fred W. Seward; Comptroller, Gen. F. E. Spinner, Treasurer, Gen. E. A. Merritt; Attorney General, Geo L. Danford; State Engineer, O. H P. Cornell; Canal Commissioner, Wm. E. Tensley, State Prison Inspector, Rev Benoni T Ives Adjourned *sine die.*

ERIE, Sept 8—The Democratic State Convention met to day James Ellis was elected temporary chairman, committees were appointed, and the convention adjourned until the afternoon.

On reassembling, Hendrick B Wright was elected chairman. He made a speech, and said the Democrats favored hard money. [Applause.] They were not, however, in favor of a speedy resumption. [Very loud applause.] There was some skirmishing when it was announced that the report of the committee on permanent organization had been adopted, though the list of vice presidents and secretaries had not been read. The committee on platform asked longer time to complete their work, and were granted until 8 o'clock. It was generally understood that the committee disagreed on the currency plank.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 8.—The Democratic Reform State Convention met at the Opera House in this city at noon to-day. Hon. D. W. Maxon was chosen temporary chairman, and after the appointment of committees, the Convention took a recess until 3 o'clock.

Ex-Governor Dewey was elected President. The following are some of the resolutions passed: The Convention congratulates the people of the State, regardless of partisan distinction, upon the progress made in the reduction of the State expenditures and the impartial administration of the laws; *the protection of the industrial and producing classes by the repeal of obnoxious legislation;* that we will abide by the principles of political reform adopted by the People's Reform Convention; favor the preservation of the public credit; payment of the national debt, and economy in the State and Federal Governments; cheap transportation within and without the State; sound currency, in coin, or its equivalent; tariff for revenue only; lighter duties on articles of necessity; sovereignty of State over corporations; freedom of the press from federal gag laws, protecting of labor without injustice to capital; do not favor the union of church and State; that all legislation that tends to interfere with the school fund which is set apart for the exclusive use of the public schools is unpolitic. We favor the construction of more railroads, and believe that the companies are entitled to reasonable compensation. We regard the use of money by candidates in influencing public opinion as an offense

State officers were nominated by acclamation as follows Governor, William R Taylor, Lieutenant Governor, Charles D Parker, Secretary of State, Peter Doyle; State Treasurer, Ferdinand Kuhn; Attorney General, Scott Sloan; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Edward Loring.

WESTMINISTER, Md., Sept. 8.—The Republican State Convention met here to-day, but adjourned to meet in Baltimore on September 22, when action will be taken on the report of the committee appointed to confer with all organized friends of reform in the State, with a view to the selection of candidates for State officers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—The Legislature stands: In the Senate, 19 Democrats, 5 Independent Democrats, 9 Independents, 7 Republicans; Assembly, 60 Democrats, 1 Independent Democrat, 7 Independents, 11 Republicans, and a Democrat and an Independent tied in Yuba county.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 8.—The constitutional amendments have been carried in this State by a majority of about 20,000.

ST. LOUIS, Sept 8.—Jefferson Davis spoke at the agricultural fair at Desoto, Mo, to-day. In the course of his remarks he said he did not come to disturb the harmony which prevails among the people. If there are any who still entertain feelings of malice or cherish bitterness on account of past difference, let us withdraw from such. He spoke at some length of the peculiarities that bound the people of the Mississippi Valley together, which no party difference could sunder; also of the resources of the country and its future development. Mr. Davis advocates the necessity of a direct trade with Europe, and asserts that specie resumption was impracticable until our exports exceed our imports. He also declared Congress had no authority to declare gold payments should be resumed at a certain date, and that in the present condition of the country more currency is needed. The gentleman's speech was frequently applauded, and seemed at least to give satisfaction to all hearers.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—In the Westervelt trial to-day, Lucretia S. Piers testified that she saw the prisoner in Brooklyn on the 6th of July, 1871, in an up-town street car; she recognized Westervelt as the man who had the child on that day, the child was frightened at him, and it was with difficulty that he managed to pacify it; the man left the car at Fourth street, carrying the child in his arms. Witness, upon being handed a photograph of Charlie Ross, pronounced it as one of the child seen in the car.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8—Under date of San Francisco, Sept. 7th, D. O. Mills, president of the Bank of California, telegraphs the following letter to the *Herald*: The directors of the Bank of California refuse to allow any official statement to be made concerning the affairs and condition of the bank until their work of investigation is fully complete. We are organizing the bank affairs with a view to enable it to pay all its debts and to supply new capital Success is now secured beyond any doubt, and we confidently expect to resume regular business in a short time Mr Ralston was indebted largely to the Bank of California, but he leaves a considerable private estate, the proceeds of which go far toward paying his liabilities. The assets of the bank are *now in excess of its liabilities,* independent of the new capital now being subscribed. The community here is showing the greatest confidence in our efforts at re-organization.

[Signed] D. O. MILLS.

B. G. Arnold & Co., obtained an order of attachment against the property of the Bank of California in this city, their claim being for $124,746, the amount of drafts on the Oriental Bank, of London, held by them.

It is now stated that the Bank of California will open the same time as the Bank of Nevada, about the 15th inst. The stock boards will be opened at the same time.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Gov. Ames telegraphs the President to-day: "Sir—Domestic violence in its most aggravated form exists in parts of this State. On the evening of the 1st inst., unauthorized and illegal armed bodies overthrew the civil authorities of Yazoo county, and took forcible possession of said county, from which the sheriff, the peace officer of the county, was compelled to flee for safety, and is still a refugee. The sheriff of this (Hinds) county reports that since the 4th inst. he has been unable, after every effort, to maintain peace and protect rights. He reports various murders by unauthorized armed bodies who are scouring the country. Warren county is also reported to be in a state of terrorism from the demonstrations of still other unauthorized bodies, and a feeling of intense insecurity prevails in other sections of the State. After a careful examination of all the various reports, I feel myself compelled to appeal to the General Government for protection. I do not now make formal application under the provisions of the constitution of the United States, but telegraph you to know if you can and will regard the proclamation issued by you in December last, on application of the legislature of this State, as still in force. The necessity of immediate action cannot be overstated. If your proclamation of December last is not in force, I will make formal application, in accordance with the provisions of the constitution of the United States.

(Signed) "ADELBERT AMES."

The President answered as follows. "The President submitted your dispatch of yesterday, asking if the proclamation of December last is still in force, to the Attorney General, who decides it is not in force. I notify you of his decision by direction of the President.

(Signed) "LEVI P. LUCKY, Sec'y."

MEMPHIS, Sept. 8.—A prominent Republican telegraphs from Jackson, Miss., to-night, that the people from the country report armed bands still riding about, and work on the plantations suspended. A new disturbance is reported in Yazoo county, near Tartarlia, in which four men were wounded. Armed bands of whites have started for the scene of disturbance.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—The third annual grand opening of the Inter State Exposition of Chicago, took place this evening, and in every sense was a most complete success. The art hall was pronounced by all present—fully 30,000—to be the grandest ever seen in this country, and the artistic arrangement of the paintings called forth the loudest praise. The floral hall was a marvel of beauty. The display made by the Chicago Academy of Science, together with Professor Ward's collection of fossils, from Rochester, New York, was exceedingly interesting. There is a display of all that pertains to fish culture. All departments were more fully represented than in any previous year, and the opening of 1875 promises to be a magnificent exhibition.

LOUISVILLE, Sept 8.—A special to the *Evening Ledger*, from Greenville, Ky., reports that the bank of F. B. Hancock & Co., was robbed of $27,000 *two nights since.* The combination lock of the safe was opened and $5,000 in United States bonds, $7,000 in currency and $1,500 in gold taken.

The total amount stolen from the bank in Greenville, Ky., is now stated as follows: U. S. bonds, $25,000, legal tenders $6,000, fractional currency, $2,000, gold coin, $1,460. The burglars were experts, as is evidenced by the style in which the work is done.

NIAGARA FALLS, Sept. 8.—James Woods and wife and Captain John C Jones, of New York, were visiting the falls to-day, when, at the entrance to the park, Captain Jones suddenly said "good-bye," jumped into the rapids and went over the American falls, only a few feet from Prospect Point, in sight of several hundred visitors

Woods was on his way to Kansas with his brother in law, Jones, who has been out of health for some time.

From the fact of the Captain urging his friends to stop over here one day, it is supposed the suicide was premeditated. He was formerly a sea captain, and for many years the Surveyor of the Great Western Marine Insurance Company of New York.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Thursday Evening, Sept. 9,

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

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☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE V. LORING as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce J. B. R. SHERRICK as a candidate for County Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce Dr. IRA B. CURTIS as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Fresh oysters at Imboden & Co.'s.

..To say that yesterday was a hot day is drawing it mild.

..Choice apples and fresh vegetables, at Meidermyer's.

..Refreshing showers this morning to keep the dust laid for the fair.

..Choice raisins and other preserved and dried fruits, at Newell & Hammel's.

..Justice Albert says times are dull in the police business.

..Fresh tomatoes, choice apples and vegetables, at Lewis & Milligan's.

..The band made its usual tour of the city this morning, playing "Come to the Fair."

..Nice peaches and other fruits, at D. M. Barnett & Co 's.

..Several chaps got a "drop too much" yesterday, the result of which was weak knees and crooked paths.

..Go to Armstrong's for your drugs and medicines.

..Prayer meetings at the churches were tolerably well attended last evening, and the exercises were of an interesting character.

..Go to Wessels for the best bargains in boots and shoes.

..The "Jennings Hotel" has now thirty regular boarders, and if any more apply for admission increased accommodations will be a necessity

..Ansback & Cassell set their table with all the luxuries of the season.

..Farmers were plenty in town yesterday, nearly all available hitching places being taken up with teams. In the afternoon many of them went to the fair

..I. J. Davis & Co. have all kinds of school books, and an endless variety of articles for school children.

..We understand that two or three parties who came here with horses to enter for the fair, found no ring in which their stock could be placed, and consequently went home without entering it.

..Choice butter, fresh eggs and a full line of vegetables, at Adams & Bendure's.

..If you want to lead a happy life,
And have peace and pleasure with your wife,
And banish trouble evermore,
Eat Booth's Fresh Oysters,
Kept at Fred. Smith's grocery store.

..Good, double buttoned Kid Gloves for 75 cents, at S. Einstein's. 6d

..There is some grumbling at the charge of fifty cents admission fee to the fair ground. Many seem to think that much more money would be taken at twenty-five cents. With that fee at the gate doubtless many more would attend, but whether enough more would go to make up the other quarter is a question.

Recovering.—Mr. Towling to-day received a telegram from Houston, Texas, stating that his son Harvey is recovering. He is being cared for in the best manner by the Masonic fraternity of that place.

Lounges and Mattresses, cheap, at Ashby's, Opera Block. aug24tf

Day Boarding, at J. P. Jarman's, No. 87 North Water street—$3 50 per week. 8 4d1

Patronized by the Ladies.—The delightful, unadulterated, and truly excellent qualities of Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts and Cream Baking Powder has secured for them the patronage of the most intelligent ladies in this country. Whenever a sweet, white biscuit is wanted, or a light pot pie, an elegant cake, or a delicious pudding, these articles are made use of as their purity and uniformity are certain in producing such results. A few cents additional cost does not deter ladies who are mindful of the health of their family from procuring that which is known to be pure and wholesome, especially articles that are used in preparing the "necessaries of life." Dr. Price's Powder is not sold in bulk, it is put up in cans securely labelled. Bulk powder is largely adulterated, and often, fraudulently, sold for Dr. Price's. sep4d&w1w.

Found,—A basket of carpenter's tools, which the owner can recover by paying for this advertisement. 4-dtf

S. Einstein offers special bargains in Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, during the fair week. Go and see him at 21 North Water street. 6 6d

TEMPERANCE LECTURE.

On Thursday night, Sept. 9th, our citizens will again have the pleasure of listening to Mr. Leo Miller, at the court house. Mr. Miller is one of the most able lecturers now in the field, and comes recommended by such men as Vice President Wilson, and we trust our citizens will turn out and give him the hearing that his eminent abilities so justly deserve. The subject of his lecture is "The Era of Woman." Lecture commences at 8 o'clock. 2d

FIRST DISTRICT.

The Republicans of the first district of Decatur township, will meet at Carroll's Hall, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Monday, Sept. 13th, for the purpose of appointing eight delegates and eight alternates, to represent said district in the Macon county Republican Convention, to be held in Decatur, Sept. 18, 1875.

R. N. MILLS,
Ch'm'n 1st Dist., Decatur tp.

THIRD DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the third district, Decatur township, will meet at firemen's hall, in the 3d ward, on Thursday evening, Sept. 16, at 7½ o'clock, to select four delegates and four alternates, to represent said district in the Macon county Republican convention.

JAS. KEENE, Chairman.

Funeral Services.—We learn from Mt. Zion that the funeral of Mr. George A. Böhrer, which took place at the M. E Church in that town on Tuesday, was very largely attended. Mr. B. was a young man who was held in high esteem in the community, and his early death is sincerely lamented by all. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction.

Sportsmen, Attend!—Pool selling for to-morrow's races will take place at Cain & Andrew's billiard hall this evening. (7-d3t.

A Card.—For the information of my friends I wish to say that during my three months wandering over the western, northern and northwestern portions of the State of Texas, I secured about 100,000 acres of what I consider choice farming lands, well adapted to the production of corn, wheat and other small grains, cotton and vegetables of all kinds, 80,000 acres of which have been taken mostly by parties in this vicinity, leaving a balance of about 20,000 acres yet unsold, but equally as good in all respects as the 80,000 acres disposed of. Parties desiring good lands, cheap, will find it to their interest to call upon me at the office of Warren & Durfee.

H. B. DURFEE.

Excursion To Terre Haute.—The U. B. Church have now completed their arrangements for an excursion to Terre Haute, over the Midland railroad, at the very low price of $1,50. Terre Haute is a place that many of our people have never visited, and we have no doubt that a large crowd will go. Tickets are now on sale at D. M. Barnett & Co.'s store, and also at Dr. S. D. Black's drug store. Thursday, the 16th inst., is the time fixed, the train leaving Decatur at 7 A. M., and Terre Haute to return at 6 P. M.

No One should leave Decatur without calling to see the bargains that are offered at S. Einstein's. 5d

Characteristic.—If the Seyyid of Zanzibar were editor of the Decatur *Tribune* he could not do better than the following, which appeared in that paper's fair report yesterday:

Parker & Murray have a number of entries as also have R. N Hanover & Bro., and the Patrons of Husbandry.

Foot Race.—This exhibition of speed, which is to come off at the fair ground to-morrow will be one of the most exciting features of the fair. The contestants for the prize are nimble-footed fellows, and will leave the track behind them about as fast as the fleetest trotting horses. Everybody who is fond of sport should be on hand to witness this trial of speed. Remember the hour, 4 o'clock, P. M.

The Largest, cheapest, and best assortment of Corsets can at all times be found at Linn & Scruggs'. 21-d&wtf

Theatrical.—The Olympic Theatrical Company played to a good house last night and gave immense satisfaction—The comedy played was a taking one, and received enthusiastic applause.

This evening "The Ticket-of-Leave-Man" will be presented, calling out the full strength of the company Let every body go.

"Lit Out."—Joe Remley, who was arrested for stealing last week, and released from jail on straw bail, has disappeared from sight, and it is thought that he will not answer to his name at the roll call of the December term of court.

For Sale.—A two-story brick house, situated on the corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, directly west from Stapp's Chapel. Said house is on a lot 80x150 feet, and has a good well and cistern, with gas fixtures, and all modern conveniences; also a good stable.

For further information apply at the office of the Decatur Woolen Mill. 17 dtf

You can buy a good corset for 40 cents at S. Einstein's. 6-6d

V. Barber & Co. are now fully prepared for the fall campaign in the boot and shoe trade. They get their goods direct from the best manufactories in the east, and are prepared to meet every want and wish of their patrons. d&w1w

MACON COUNTY FAIR.

Additional Entries—Premiums Awarded—The Races—Attendance, Etc.

SECOND DAY, SEPT. 8—AFTERNOON.

An important feature of the fair was accidentally overlooked in our report of yesterday, and that was

THE POULTRY SHOW.

The fine art hall in rear of the amphitheatre is devoted to this department, which comprises about eighty-five coops, embracing all varieties of domestic fowls. The poultry show far exceeds in number, variety and quality any exhibition ever before made at our county fair. The largest exhibitors are Messrs. Glantz, of Decatur, Connelly and Bedford, of Harristown; L. Barnard, Mr. Nims, H. W. Davis, and Starcs; while several others show from two to five coops each. A pair of ducks from Connelly & Bedford attracted considerable attention.

BURIAL CASES.

Another entry made after our report of yesterday was written was that of burial cases, by Mr. D. Aungst, city undertaker. The samples shown were as fine as we have ever seen.

CATTLE.

The first thing on the programme in the ring was the showing of cattle, the breeds being grades and crosses, Alderneys and short horns. The premiums awarded are given below.

GRADES AND CROSSES.

Crosses 3 years old and over.

1st premium, R. A. Brown, Macon, 2d do., D. J. Block, Decatur.

ALDERNEYS.

Bulls 3 years and over.

1st premium, Edward Bowen, Decatur; 2d, V. Barber, do.

Bulls 2 years and under 3.

1st, premium, V. Barber, Decatur.

SHORT HORNS.

Bulls 3 years old and over.

1st premium, George Elliott, Harristown; 2d, J. C. Batchelder, do.

Bulls 1 year old and under 2.

1st prem., T. M. Taylor, Blue Mound; 2d, W. & W. Pickrell, Mechanicsburg.

Bulls 6 months and under 1 year.

1st premium, J. H. Pickrell, Harristown; 2d, T. M. Taylor, Blue Mound.

Bulls under 6 months.

1st premium, Geo. Elliott, Harristown.

Cows over 3 years.

1st premium, W. & W. Pickrell, Mechanicsburg; 2d, same.

Cows 2 years and under 3.

1st premium, George Elliott, Harristown.

Heifers 1 year and under 2.

1st prem., T. M. Taylor, Blue Mound; 2d, same.

Heifers 6 months and under 1 year.

1st premium, W. & W. Pickrell, Mechanicsburg; 2d, T. M. Taylor, Blue Mound.

Heifers under 6 months.

1st premium, W. & W. Pickrell, Mechanicsburg; 2d, George Elliott, Harristown.

THOROUGHBRED HORSES

Stallions over 4 years old

1st premium, J. V. Meeker, Decatur, 2d, same.

Stallions over 3 years and under 4.

1st premium, J. W. Hoyt, Harristown, 2d, A. Waddle, Mt. Pulaski.

Mares over 4 years old.

1st premium, J. G. Willard, Harristown; 2d, J V. Meeker, Decatur.

Mares under 1 year.

1st premium, J. G. Willard, Harristown.

Next on the programme were the

RACES,

the first being half mile heats, best two in three—first horse $30, second horse $20.

The first heat was made in 53½ seconds, "Greeley," owned by John Thurston, coming in ahead.

The second heat was made in 54 seconds, with "Greeley" still ahead, which gave him the first money, $30.

The second money, $20, was taken by "Rilda," owned by J. W. White.

The second race was a one mile dash, with $30 for the first horse and $20 for the second.

"Mickey Free," owned by J. V. Meeker, of Decatur, took the first money, and "Logan," owned by M. Patterson, the second. Time, 1:54.

THIRD DAY, SEPT. 9.

This morning another rain interfered somewhat with operations at the fair ground, but toward noon the clouds cleared away, and people began to turn in that direction.

Though the exhibition of stock in the ring was delayed somewhat, most, if not all of the programme for the day will be gone through with. The committees are at work awarding premiums upon such animals as are shown in pens, and also upon articles in the different halls.

The premiums awarded to-day will appear in our issue of to-morrow, together with the result of the races, should the track be in a condition that will admit of their coming off.

The attendance this forenoon was considerably larger than it was yesterday morning.

The matter of continuing the fair through Saturday is under consideration, and should the programme be interfered with to any considerable extent by rain, it is probable that the show will be continued through that day.

Special Notice.—Whereas, my wife Johanna Ehrhart has left my bed and board without provocation, I hereby forbid all persons trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

SEBASTIAN EHRHART.

Sept. 9, 1875-3d*

Do Not Fail to see Curtis & Righter's elegant stock of watches, clocks, jewelry, silverware and spectacles, when you want *anything* in their line. They have now the most complete stock in the city. 6-6d

For the REPUBLICAN.

OBITUARY.

SYLVANUS P. OAKES was born Sept. 15th, 1808, in the village of Mechanicsville, Oxford county, State of Maine.

When he was five years old the family removed to Danville, in western New York, and three years afterward they emigrated to the State of Ohio and settled in the vicinity of Cincinnati. In 1817 they removed to Franklin county, Indiana, where his father shortly afterward died.

At the age of 18 or 19, he went to Cincinnati, and remained for two years in the capacity of clerk, in the wholesale dry goods store of Avery Sharpless & Co. Here he conducted himself so much to the satisfaction of his employers that at the expiration of this time they entrusted him with a stock of goods with which to start in business for himself.

This outfit he took to the village of Dartown, Butler county, Ohio, and there started a store in his own name. He was so successful as to be able to continue, despite the financial troubles of 1830 and '37, and remained in active pursuit of his calling for 28 years, when, having become tired of trade, he abandoned it and removed to a farm in Wayne county, Indiana, where he spent a number of the pleasantest years of his life.

At the age of 25 he was married to Margaret Lintner, and their union was blest with a numerous family of children, of which six sons and one daughter remain to mourn his loss.

In 1867 he removed with his family to Decatur. Being then past 59 years of age, he retired from the cares of active business, and has since lived a life of quiet usefulness, seeking to aid his children to establish themselves comfortably in the world, and to fit them for the responsibilities of life.

As a father he was affectionate, generous, and self-sacrificing to a fault; and in society he was affable and agreeable, and always ready to extend a helping hand to those he deemed deserving, esteeming true charity to consist not so much in indiscriminate giving as in assisting others to help themselves.

His children bow meekly to their misfortune, and unite in giving him the greatest of all praise—he was a good father.

May we be able to sustain his good name and have strength to follow worthily his example.

Call at Linn & Scruggs' for Ribbons and Hamburg Edging 21-dawtf

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr J. H. Axton, of Maron, is in town to-day. He maintains his reputation as an interesting conversationalist.

DIED.

In Harristown, Sept. 7, 1875, LITTIE MAGGIE, the loving and only daughter of Dr. J. L. Connelly and wife

The funeral services, conducted by Elder J. G. Waggoner, took place at the Christian Church at Harristown, and the remains were taken to Mechanicsburgh for interment.

At 8 o'clock this morning, MRS. L. WAUGHOP, wife of A. E. Waughop.

Funeral at 2 P. M., to-morrow, from the residence on Jackson street. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Prescott & Co. telegraphed for 100 copies of the very beautiful song and chorus, "We are Waiting" 8-d4

SECOND VISIT.

No Cure, No Pay!

Prof. S. Clay Todd, M. D., of Fort Wayne, Ind., will again visit Decatur, and can be consulted *free of charge*, at the St. Nicholas Hotel, on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Sept. 18th, 19th and 20th, 1875. He makes no charge for his services as a physician until six (6) months after a cure is effected. His wonderful success in curing Consumption, Catarrh, Liver Complaints, Kidney, Nervo and Spinal Diseases, Deafness, Old Sores, Scrofula, White Swellings, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, and all Female and Chronic Diseases, is well known in this city. NOTE THE DAYS. Office hours, 8 A. M. to 7 P. M. (21-dtd

Well Done!—Prescott & Co. have another very popular Song and Chorus—"We are Waiting." Don't fail to get a copy. 8-4d

A Splendid Stock of Ladies' Suits will be closed out cheap, at Linn & Scruggs'. 21-dawtf

Fresh Oysters, by the dish or can; apples, grapes, confectioneries, cigars, warm meals to order—everything nice and clean, at 8-3d ANSBACK & CASSELL'S

Great Attraction.—All who desire to see a first-class foot race, half mile for $100 a side, between Andrew Caffray, of New York, and Thomas Irvington, of Liverpool, England, on Friday next, at 4 o'clock, should be at the fair ground at that time. (8-d2t*

Gents' Suits made to order in the the very latest style at sep3d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

Wanted—A home in a good family, by a girl 14 years old. For particulars enquire at this office. (25-dtf

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Call at Linn & Scruggs and see their fall line of casimeres, just received. sep3d&wtf.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

POLICE NEWS.

This morning Joseph Linton came into Justice Hughes' court and paid three dollars and trimmings for the privilege of getting drunk. It is thought that if Joseph should pay for getting sober instead of drunk, his outlay would be less than it now is.

GROCERIES.

If you want them pure and n-
At a reasonable pr-
Follow no new dev-
But send to us in a hr-

For we have the best stock ever offered in this city. E. B. PRATT & SON.
sep8 d1m

SPRINGFIELD COAL.

We have this day appointed J. E. Kinney Agent for our celebrated Springfield coal. Mr. Kinney is now prepared to fill all orders in any quantities, by the car or ton, and we solicit a share of public patronage. Office and yard at Water street railroad crossing.

J. D. GRAHL, Sup't
aug31-d1m Junction Coal Co.

Ramsher Wagons.—The enterprising manufacturer of these celebrated wagons is still driven with the orders that are rushing in upon him as the season advances. In no previous year has the demand for these wagons been so great as this, simply for the reason that they prove themselves to be first-class in every respect. This establishment is also turning out some fine specimens of spring wagons, which in point of workmanship and finish, are equal to those of any other factory in the country.

EARL RUSSELL ON EDUCATION.

There is no statesman now living whose opinion upon political, social, and literary questions should be listened to with greater interest, if not respect than that of the veteran ex-Premier, Lord John Russell, of England. If he has outlived his compeers he has not outlived his usefulness, and in his views on education, recently given to the English people, he affords them ample proof that, if there are no children now-a-days, the old men are pretty capable of balancing the account. Lord Russell rather shocks the Tory element and scarcely pleases the older school of Whigs when he proposes that the State ought to take care of *every one* of its children till they attain at least fourteen years of age. He advocates the imposition of a perpetual income property and income tax, and it is very evident that he aims to lay the stress upon the wealthier classes. He calculates to raise six millions from this source, and, if more money is required, to place an additional tax upon brandy. Lord Russell writes as an earnest, practical, and long experienced friend of education. He desires that such a standard should be reached, that shame must attach to the man that does not know the exploits of Wellington, and the woman who cannot sew and knit as well as read the literature of her country. To remedy the great defects of the present system he proposes to fix the period of attendance, and to enforce penalties in cases of disobedience. Upon the question of books his Lordship is more in favor of an advance from "Jack the Giant Killer" to "Robinson Crusoe" than the compulsory study of "Blackstone" and "Arnpt's Physics." While the veteran statesman's pamphlet may contain much that is neither original or striking, while it may be deemed impracticable by all but the extreme radical party, it proves that his masterly intellect is still at work for the good of the present, and will serve to keep the interest alive in this the most important question now agitating the civilized world.

RETAIL MARKET.

Grapes, per pound	10
Tomatoes, per dozen	5
Pears, per box	1 75@1.75
Peaches, per box	1 50@1.75
Green Corn, per dozen	10
Squashes, apiece	5
Green apples, per box	50
Plums, per quart	15
String Beans, per peck	25
Gooseberries, " quart	15
Cucumbers, per doz	10
New Potatoes per peck	10
Onions, per peck	30
Beets, per peck	15
Turnips, per peck	25
Chickens, per dozen	2.50@3.00
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	50
New Cabbage, per head	5@15
Cider, per gallon	50
Vinegar, " "	40
Eggs, " dozen	15
Butter packed, per pound	25
" fresh, " "	30

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, September 9, 1875.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	1.00
" White "	1.25
FLOUR—White wheat, ⅌ hundred	4.00
" red " "	3.50
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings, "	1.50
CORN MEAL—⅌ bushel	.85
RYE—⅌ bushel	.80
CORN—⅌ bushel	.65
" shelled, per bush	.75
HAY—Timothy, ⅌ ton	12.00
OATS—⅌ bushel	58@55
BUCKWHEAT—⅌ bushel	.40
FLAXSEED—⅌ bushel	1.60@1.75
TIMOTHY SEED—⅌ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	7.00
BLUE GRASS— "	2.00
ORCHARD GRASS, "	3.00
REDTOP— "	2.50
HUNGARIAN "	1.50
BRANS—⅌ bushel	2.00
BUTTER—⅌ lb	.25
EGGS—per doz	12½
LARD—⅌ lb	13½
BACON—Sides	12@14
HAMS—sugar-cured	12@14
SHOULDERS—per ⅌	9
HOGS—Live, per hundred	6.00@7.00
CATTLE— " " "	4.50@5.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	5.00
" " " sheared	4.50
NEW POTATOES—per bu	.40
PEACHES—Dried, per ⅌	9
APPLES— " "	8
" Green ⅌ bu	2.00
WOOL—Unwashed, fight & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	25@27
" " combing	26@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ⅌ lb	4
" Salted cured	6@6½
" Calf	9
" Dry salt	10
" Dry Flint	12
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
SHEARLING PELTS	15@20
FEATHERS—Prime, ⅌ lb	50@.53
" Common, ⅌ lb	35@40
TALLOW—Cake	6
" Barrel	5½

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of The People of the State of Illinois and against John McEvoy, I have levied upon the following described property to-wit:

Lots eight (8) and nine (9) in block twelve (12), in Warrensburg, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois,

Taken as property of the said John McEvoy, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 14th day of July, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
July 15-w6w. Sheriff Macon County.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO EXECUTIONS ON Transcript of Judgment to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, each in favor of the City of Decatur, and against Sophia Bunecker and Philip Bellmann, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

Fifty (50) feet off the south side of lot two (2), in block two (2), in Oglesby & Watt's Addition to Decatur, Macon county, Illinois.

Taken as property of the said Sophia Bunecker, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said state, on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 19th day of August, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
aug 19-d1w Sheriff Macon county.

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Margaret A. Bradley, deceased, late of Macon county, Ill., will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on MONDAY, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN A BARNES,
Administrator.
DECATUR, ILL., July 27, 1875—d6w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO EXECUTIONS TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois, in favor of Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway Company and against Adam M. Corn and Margaret Corn, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

Ten (10) acres of the southeast corner of the east half of the northwest quarter of section six (6), in township thirteen (13) north, range four (4) east of the 3rd P. M., in Macon county, Illinois.

Taken as property of the said Margaret Corn, which I shall offer at public sale, at the west door of the Court house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said executions.

This 4th day of August, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS
Aug 7—w3w Sheriff Macon county.

The Daily Republican.

OFFICIAL.

STATE, COUNTY AND CITY DIRECTORY.

State Officers.

Governor.....J. L. Beveridge.
Lieut Governor.....A. A. Glenn.
Secretary of State.....G. H. Harlow.
Auditor of State.....C. E. Lippincott
State Treasurer.....Thos. S. Ridgway.
Sup't Public Instruction.....S. M. Inbody

Congressmen.

Senators...Richard J. Oglesby, John A. Logan.
14th Dist.....J. C. Cannon.

Legislature.

State Senator, 26th Dist.....J. F. Burrold.
Representatives, 49th Dist.....Shaw Isaac, S. S. Jack, John H. Tyler.

Judicial Officers.

Circuit Judge.....C. B. Smith.
State's Attorney.....C. C. McComas.
Clerk Circuit Court.....E. McClellan

County Officers.

County Judge.....S. F. Greer
County Clerk.....H. W. Wiggener
County Treasurer.....R. H. Park
Sheriff.....I. D. Jennings
Deputy.....Geo. M. Wood
Superintendent of Schools.....S. P. Nickey
County Surveyor.....Geo V. Loring
Coroner.....D. August.

City Officers.

Mayor.....R. H. Merriweather
Alderman—1st ward, H W Wagoner, W J Myers
" 2d " ....H B Durfee, W M Hogg
" 3d " ....I. W. Shrimm, B. F. Stephens.
" 4th " ....J W Bateman, J L Peake
" 5th " ....R. N. Mills, J. P. Loske
Register.....Geo. P. Hathy
Treasurer.....M. K. Hatch
Collector.....H. H. Brown
Attorney.....A. A. Buckingham
Marshal.....Jno. Haworth
Engineer & Sup't Water Works...S Burgess
Supervisor.....George Dempsey
Deputy Marshal.....Jos S Howes
Fire Department—Chief Engineer, Joseph Howes; 1st assistant, H. P. Christie; 2d assistant, D. P. Elwood.
BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, E. W. Moore, W H Harris and W. C. Johns; E. W. Moore, President; E. A. Gastman, Sup't and Clerk.

Decatur Township Officers.

Town Clerk.....Geo Goodman
Assessor.....Fred J Smith
Collector.....H. H. Brown
Commissioners of Highways.....A. J. Williams
Henry Cassell J. M. Lowry
Justices of Peace, { M. K. Hatch, T B Albert / Ed. Hughes G. W. Baker
Constables { H Churchman, J J H Young J W Carter, J H Maury, S Weltzel

Board of Supervisors.

Decatur.....Jacob Spangler, D. L. Hughes and Henry Hammell
Friends Creek.....J W Brown
Austin.....Robert Morris
Blue Mound.....Frank Coleman
Macon.....W S Gage
Mt. Zion.....William Davis
Whitmore.....J. O. Braddock
Nantic.....James Bingman
Hartsburgh.....M. G. Cannon
Hickory Point.....A Mettride
Oakley.....Wm Orson
South Wheatland.....Hiram Ward
Long Creek.....Sam'l W Gillespie
Illinois.....L. R. Morse
Maroa.....John Orr
Pleasant View.....G House
Milam.....J W Rogers

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. Robert Mackenzie, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7:00 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets, Rev. W. H. Reed, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

HAPPY CHAPEL, (METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. Wm. Stevenson, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. W S Prentiss Presiding Elder.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Northeast corner of Water and Will streets. Rev. Mr. Beaman pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street, Rev. W W DeWolfe rector. Services at 10½ A. M and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Cor. Broadway and Eldorado streets, Rev I. Field, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North Street; Rev. N. S. Haynes pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. G. J. Keller, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square, Rev. M W Tabor, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Hickey, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets, Rev. O. V. Kamisten, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets, Rev. Mr. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.

O. U. A.

DECATUR COUNCIL No. 2, O. U. A. M., meets at their hall over Hildebrandt's drug store, every Thursday evening.

MASONIC.

MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night, on or preceding full moon every month. E. D. Carter, W. M.; I. S. Carter, Secretary.

LODGE LODGE, No. 64, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. H. C. Crocker, W. M.; John A. Barnes, Secretary.

MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night, on or preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; W. H. Wilson, Secretary.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. R. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Bond, Recorder. Regular meeting third Thursday each month.

ODD-FELLOWS.

ORIENTAL LODGE, No. 186.—F. G. Richmond, N. G.; Wm. H. Patterson, R. S.; I. W. Shrimm, T. Meet every Monday, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR ENCAMPMENT, No. 37.—F. G. Richmond, C. P.; Wm. Towling, Scribe. Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. 63.—E. G. Tucker, N. G.; E. Hughes, V. G.; John W. Hartley, R. S.; D. M. Robbins, P. S.; George W. Baker, Treasurer. Meets every Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

ORDER DE LEON LODGE, No 17.—Knights of Pythias.—I. M. Durfee, C. C.; W. E. Sautel, K. of R. S.; meets Saturday evening, at their hall, cor. of E. Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. of G. T. No 301.—J. R. Gorin, W. C. T.; Theodore Coleman, W. R. S. Meets every Friday evening in their new hall in Coart House building, South Water street.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION—Prairie street, Shroeder's new building, second floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exhange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $3. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Pintcher, Secretary; Mrs A. T. Hill, Treasurer.

DECATUR READING ROOM SOCIETY—Rooms in First Office block, with the Library Association. Open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. On Sunday from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. The files are well supplied with newspapers and magazines and are free to all. The regular meeting of the Board of Directors is to hold at the rooms on the first Thursday of each month, at 7½ o'clock, p. m. E. A. Gastman, President; R. P. Little, Secretary.

CHORAL SOCIETY.—Meets every Friday evening, at the music rooms of Miss Green. Any person may become a member, by the payment of one dollar, on application being made to the President or Secretary. W. A. Barnes, President; J. N. Baker, Secretary.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

DISTRICT COURT OF UNITED STATES, Southern District of Illinois, } ss

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Frank B. Preston and George Boyle, of the county of Vermilion, State of Illinois, in said district, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon creditors' petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER, Assignee, &c.

August 2, 1875—d3w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the August Term, A. D. 1875.

Joseph M. Sanger vs. Walter Clark, Oliver Bennett and Charles Maty.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants having been filed in my office: Notice is hereby given to the said Walter Clark, Oliver Bennett and Charles Maty, that the complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1875, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court, against said defendants, returnable on the second day of August, A. D. 1875, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said above-named non-resident defendants, and each of you shall personally be and appear before the said court, on the 1st day of the next August term thereof, at the Court House, in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk
Of Circuit Court, Macon county, Ills.

B. I. SCHERRER, Solicitor for Comp't.

June 22, 1875—d40d